## CONSERVATISM RULES BUSINESS

Volume of Regular Local Trade Is Satisfactory.

SPECULATION

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There are several reasons for this caution. The most important cause is the general financial situation. In New York the bankers adopted a more conservative policy several months ago and began to contract their loans. While easier money and a generally improved situation are expected after the first of the year, when the quarterly, semi-annual and annual dividends of the great railroad and industrial corporations are released, and when the money begins to arrive for the fall crops, the New York bankers are still putting a check on speculative operations.

Practically the same condition exists here. Local bankers are awaiting developments before loaning money to any extent, except on gilt-edged security. There is plenty of money to be had on high class collateral at as low as 6 per cent interest, but the bankers are chary about letting out loans involving any risk. This, as in the east, is having a tendency to check

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not had as depressing an effect on general business as might be expected. Business men are wondering what the future will be for the white metal, but the feeling is that when China enters the market after the first of the year as a purchaser instead of

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"The jobbing trade has been satisfactory, with a rather urgent demand for holiday supplies. The heavy snows in the mountains make the outlook bright for next year, as already there is assurance of enough water to make good crops. In some places, particularly in some part. good crops. In some places, particularly in some parts of Idaho tributary to Salt Lake, it is reported that they have more snow now than they had all last winter. Groceries, drugs and fancy goods are in good demand. Mail orders are large for clothing, dry goods, boots and shoes, and notions suitable for the holiday trade.

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The city retail trade is satisfactory. The holiday demand has begun and the outlook is for a good holiday trade. In dry goods and allied lines the demand is especially good. In the country districts trade is inclined to be slow and collections drag

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"Local securities are quiet. Bankers are inclined to be conservative. Money is firm but the deposits are keeping up well and there is plenty of money for first class loans."

### REAL ESTATE QUIET.

Improvement Is Expected After the

First of the Year. The real estate market has been in-lined to drag. The holiday dullness has already begun to palsy the market

and no transactions of great import and no transactions of great importance were recorded during the week.

A large proportion of the owners are holding out for high prices, expecting a great influx of people and a strong real estate market in the near future. Buyers, on the other hand, are waiting until after the first of the year and are watching developments. are waiting until after the first of the year and are watching developments in the railroad situation with a great deal of interest. Greater activity is expected after Jan. 1, but although a number of deals of some consequence are under way, real estate men generally look for no great increase in business during the coming month. This is despite the fact that there are more chances for bargains at present than there may be later. There is a demand for modern cottages of moderate price which is growing.

Bank Clearings.

ONSERVATISM has exerted a strong influence over the business situation during the past week same period a year ago they were \$4,455,021.

Building Permits.

2 south, range 1 east

Real Estate Transfers.

Lorenzo Snow, Tenth East between Fourth and Fifth South, brick cot-

GOT HUSBAND OUT OF JAIL. Perru Snyder yesterday morning at-tacked with his fist a woman known to 20.60 the police as "Big Lucille," whose dwelling place is on Commercial street.

According to the police, Snyder has been intimate with the woman for been intimate with the woman for some time, and when she, with bruised and bleeding lips, came to the police station and, pouring out a string of curses, demanded his arrest for battery, it was so ordered. Scarcely had ser ser been placed in jail, under the alias of Ned Body, than his wife came to the rescue. She persisted in her offert to get her husband out of jail. 

ANNOUNCEMENT.

Well-Known Chicagoan Engaged to Manage Furnishings Department For Men and Women.

The Keith-O'Brien Dry Goods com pany announces the engagement of Herbert D. Thomas, president of the Thomas & Davies company, haberdash, ers, Chicago. Mr. Thomas will be at the head of the department of furnishings for men and women. In connection with this department, the Keith-O'Brien company will establish the largest shirt factory in the west, where shirts and shirt waists will be made to measure.



# MILLIONS BACK

Former Salt Laker Now a Great Railroad Promoter.

IS IN WITH THE HAVEMEYERS

SCHEME TO BUILD LINE FROM ALASKAN COAST TO DAWSON.

RAILROAD enterprise, colossal in A magnitude, and backed by almost unlimited capital, is to be engineered across the Alaskan frontier nto the Yukon country by a former Salt Lake City man. Harry Edwards, who went from Salt Lake to Alaska at the time of the Klondike excitement, is at the head of the enterprise. His rise to the position of a railroad promoter is in itself a fascinating story, but the scheme of his backers reads like fiction.

The road is to start from Valdez and will afford an all-American route into Dawson. Upon the shores of the bay where the railroad will start is to be erected a city rivaling in im-

vast mountains of rich copper ore, which less daring and less adventurous spirits had sought in vain to find, al-though it was known to exist with rich

Capitalists Are Interested.

Letters of his safe arrival at Dawso eventually reached the states and he was piled with telegrams from representatives of the Havemeyer families, in whose interests he started out. These interests are represented by Alberton Helm and A. J. Abbott. Mr. Edwards reached Seattle several weeks ago, where his wife went from Salt Lake to join him. While there arrangements were made for a meeting with Helm. were made for a meeting with Helm. He was instructed to go to New York, but learned of the presence in Los Angeles of Governor Ross. He was anxious first to ascertain what could be done with the Canadian government regarding the matter of a Canadian ter-

As soon as the result of his trip be-omes manifest he will go to New York comes manifest he will go to New York or Mr. Helm will meet him on the coast. There the final arrangements for the railroad deal will be consummated. Twenty millions of dollars are behind the scheme for the railroad. After leaving Valdez the road will go through the Lost Trail country, striking the headwaters of the Copper river. Crossing Mentasta pass near Wrangeli and other famous peaks, the route crosses Ketclumstock pass, the Tanana, the Forty-Mile country, and, skirting the Tanana foothills, will pass easterly to Eagle City, where the road will follow the Yukon into Dawson.

At Valdez it is intended to erect hotels and make the place one of the greatest summer resorts in the world. A fabulous sum of money is to be expended at this point and the projectors are to begin as soon as possible after

are to begin as soon as possible after Edwards can furnish the necessary maps. An engineering corps will to put into the field by the 1st of April.

Ballard's Horehound Syrup ediately relieves hoarse, croup Immediately relieves hoarse, croupy cough, oppressed, rattling, rasping and difficult breathing. Henry C. Stearns, druggist, Shullsburg, Wis., writes: May 20, 1901: "I have been selling Ballard's Horehound Syrup for two years, and have never had a preparation that has given better satisfaction. I notice that when I sell a bottle, they come back for more. I can honestly recommend it." 25c 50c and \$1 at 2 C. M. I done for more. I can honestly recommend it." 25c, 50c and \$1, at Z. C. M. I. drug department.

## HARRY EDWARDS STATE NEWS

MURDEROUS ASSAULT

Whisky-crazed Man Attempts to Kill City Marshal of

Lehf. Dec. 6.—Early last evening a transient by the name of Edward Meyers got full of "booze" and being unable to get a bed at either of the hotels, the marshal thought it wise to furnish him one at the jail. On the way Meyers acted in a suspicious manner and dropped back. The marshal made a clever move and pushed the gun away from his, and being the stronger man. succeeded in getting it, but before he did get the gin it was discharged, but fortunately missed the desired mark. Aid soon arrived and they succeeded in locking the man up.

He was arraigned today-before Justice Beck on the charge of assault with a deally weapon with intent to kill and was bound over to await the action of the district court at Provo in the sum of \$1.000 bonds.

Meyers says he is from Montana, but recently worked at Trackee meadows, near Reno, Nev. He claims that the discharge of the gun was accidental.

WARDEN'S ANNUAL REPORT.

ployed the prosecuting witness to buy the liquor from defendant, and that this act on the part of the corporation barred it from collecting a penalty for the offense thus committed. The motion was taken under advisement till Wednesday at 10 o'clock.

NEW CORPORATION.

Model Mercantile Company to Succeed Firm of Jensen & Co.

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Richfield, Dec. 6.—The firm of Jensen, Christensen & Co. has gone out of business in that name and is succeeded by the Model Mercantile company. All the old firm members are in the new company and several new names are added. The articles of incorporation are being gotten up and new officers will be elected in a few days. The store has just vacated its old building at the corner of Main and Second South streets and has gone into a large, new, up-to-date building further up on Main street. This now becomes one of the leading mercantile establishments of the county.

Nettie, the oldest daughter of Representative-elect Hawley, is down with diphtheria and the home is quarantined. This is the third case now in Central. Schools have not been opened and the prospects now are they will not be until after New Year's.

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The two creamery companies of the valley have divided up the territory between them and hereafter will not run wagons into each other's allotted precincts. By this a great saving is made the companies

MANTI HAPPENINGS.

Manti, Dec. 6.—W. D. Livingston is reported to have sold his residence in this city to one of his brothers, now a resident of Fountain Green. Mr. Livingston anticipates building a residence on his farm south of Manti in the spring.

The county commissioners were in session this week. They will meet again on the 26th before they meet with the new set of commissioners the beginning of the new year.

The directors of the Mammoth Reservoir company were in session in this city

The directors of the Mammoth Reservoir company were in session in this city this week at the office of the president; W. D. Livingston.
Edwin Nelson, a student at the Snow academy at Ephraim, returned to his home in this city Wednesday on account of sickness. It has been stated that he is now afflicted with a serious case of typhoid pneumonia.

The South ward Sunday school gave a grand ball in their ward house last evening.

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Reports were circulated in this city this week that J. C. Cahoon, a former resident of this city, but now residing at Cardston, Canada, met with a serious accident at his home there by taking carbolic acid, thinking it was a bottle of patent medicine he had purchased some time previous. Another report came stating that he had died from the effects of the doze he received, but as none of his relatives in this city has received information to that effect it is not considered true.

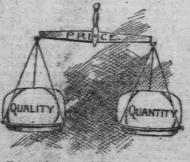
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WARDEN'S ANNUAL REPORT.

Waters of Utah County Producing plan mapped out by the money powers behind Harry Edwards.

Mr. Edwards is now in Los Angeles where he expects to have a conference with Governor Ross of the Canadian northwest. The latter is trying to regain his health and strength at the summer resort of southern California, He has never recovered from the shock resulting from the tragic death of his wife and child, who went down on the steamer Islander two years ago. Bit upon his influence will depend the question of the Canadian to the proposition of an American railroad entering the city of Dawson. They believe that it would injure the Canadian projects.

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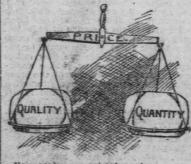
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